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## City, builders to meet over costs

Discussion on new infrastructure to be private

SHAWN LOGAN  
for Metro Calgary

**If you build it they will come, but a closed-door meeting today may be the first step in determining who will pay for pricey infrastructure, municipal leaders say.**

The city will meet with developers and homebuilders at a special symposium at the Telus Convention Centre in an effort to hash out who foots the bill for new fire halls, buses and roads in new communities.

Ald. Ric McIver said the summit, which will include members of the Calgary Homebuilders Association (CHBA) and the Urban Development Institute, is vital for the city's growth and shouldn't be taking place out of the public eye.

"When you're talking about something that could have such a profound effect on the public and the way we pay for in-

**"This is not negotiating a development agreement, it's a private meeting between the city and industry so we can be forthright with one another."**

CHBA president,  
Dennis Little

frastructure in the future, it should be more of an open dialogue," he said.

"It always comes down to who's going to pay for it and at the end of the day that will be either the taxpayer or the taxpayer who's buying a new home."

In 2006, city council approved a hefty development levy, requiring both residential and commercial developers to fork over \$40,000 per hectare to help defray the heavy price tag for critical infrastructure.

Dennis Little, president of the CHBA, said the meeting was being held in private to ensure a frank dialogue, but said the industry feels it is already paying its fair share for city infrastructure.

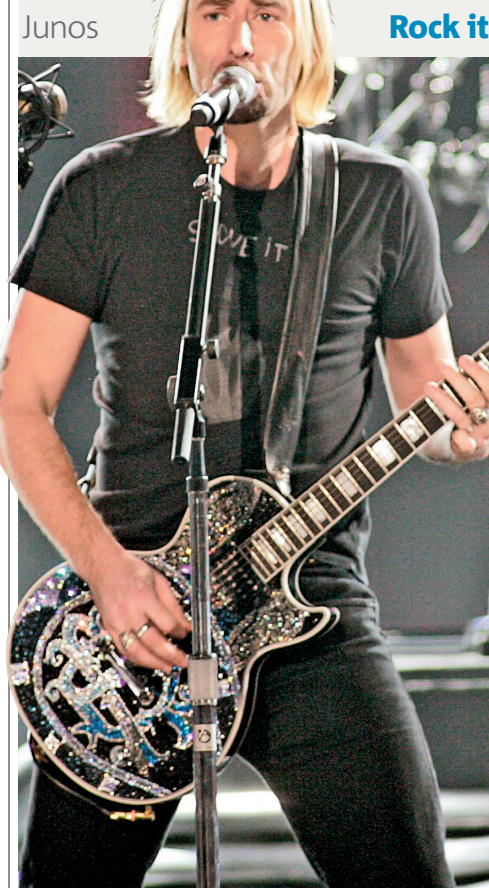
"This is not negotiating a development agreement, it's a private meeting between the city and industry so we can be forthright with one another," he said.

Ald. Brian Pincott said the real challenge facing the city has more to do with covering operating costs; paying for firefighters and bus drivers, he said, cuts deeper into the city budget than bricks and mortar.

"For me it's time to think about the way we grow the city so we can make sure these operating costs are manageable," he said.

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Chad Kroeger of Nickelback performs during the Juno Awards in Vancouver last night. Alberta's Nickelback won three Junos, including group of the year. Coverage, pg 13.

## One dead after vehicles collide on Highway 2

**INVESTIGATION** A 43-year-old man was killed late Saturday evening when Okotoks RCMP say a red Pontiac Grand Am was driving

north-bound in the south-bound lanes of Highway 2.

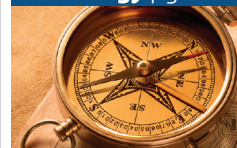
RCMP said the Grand Am struck an Isuzu SUV and the male passenger was killed. The female driver of the Grand Am was taken to Foothills Medical Centre.

The two occupants of the Isuzu, a 53-year-old man, and 37-year-old woman from Granum, Alta, were taken to hospital with serious injuries, police said.

Alcohol is believed to be a factor in the crash.

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**Keeping North true, steady**

## Sunny Side

**Now that spring is here, Metro is looking at the sunnier side of life.**

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• **Anne Hines** kicks off our new series, pg 4



## Avalanche victim 'died doing what he loved'

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**CARBON** Described as a "haywire," the family of a snowmobiler killed in an avalanche on Friday said he died doing what he loved.

Daryl Hay, 50, was a well-liked, respected and adored member of the community of Carbon, where he and his



Daryl Hay

Hay, lived, just 120 kilometres northeast of Calgary. Hay was snowmobiling with friends south of Golden, B.C., when he was buried by an avalanche.

"He was a proud member of the community and he always wanted to make other people laugh. He

took every challenge head on and was never one to sit back," his wife said, adding they each had two kids.

When Hay and his wife returned from a vacation in Mazatlan, Mexico, last week, he couldn't wait to get out into the snow, she

said.

"He died doing what he loved and there isn't any other way we would have it," his wife said.

"He will be very, very missed."

There will be a roast in Hay's honour on Friday at 2 p.m. at the Acme Hall.

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A Calgary Flames fan arrested for making death threats to opposing team Columbus Jackets goaltender Steve Mason has been ordered to undergo a psychological evaluation by an Ohio judge Saturday. **METRO CALGARY**

# Local



## IGNITE set to launch

Calgary's Festival of Emerging Artists launches April 2 as part of Earth Week. The IGNITE! Launch is an annual event for up and coming artists to display their works at Webster Galleries. Admission is free to this event. For more information please visit [www.reapcalgary.com/earthweek](http://www.reapcalgary.com/earthweek).

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## Spring snow brings flood worries

SHAWN LOGAN  
for Metro Calgary

**Just one month after wicked weather flooded homes in Sunnyside, the city is warning homeowners to prepare for the worst as more spring snowfall blanketed the city.**

With more snow and

warm weather in the forecast this week, city crews are bracing for more flooding and asking residents to take precautions to prevent a repeat of the March 3 storm that swamped dozens of inner city homes. Mike MacIsaac, leader of asset assessment for Calgary water services, said spring snow is always worrying, but with sewers

already covered under layers of snow, a quick thaw could be a recipe for residential flooding.

"We'll be monitoring all the storm sewers and catch basins and a gradual thaw would really help us out, but if not, be ready for sandbagging and emergency calls," he said.

"With all the snow that's piled up on residential

streets, it caused us a lot of grief — there's no community or home that is safe from flooding."

As much as 13 centimetres of snow was reported at the Calgary airport yesterday and with Environment Canada calling for balmy temperatures early this week and more snow on Wednesday, a growing potential exists for over-

burdened storm sewers to back up.

MacIsaac said city crews are busy clearing some 48,000 catch basins of accumulated snow and ice but residents need to ensure they're doing all they can to prevent flooding.

Ald. Druh Farrell, who saw dozens of constituents flooded out earlier this month, said the city needs

to take a closer look at changing weather patterns and may have to look at new strategies to deal with it.

"We should be expecting more unstable weather and perhaps we need to review how we prepare for it," she said. "We need to look at new techniques and start investing in new technology."

Earth Hour brings small improvement

**ENVIRONMENT** Calgarians are still in the dark about energy conservation after a poor showing for this weekend's Earth Hour, says a local alderman.

Ald. Brian Pincott said he's disappointed that few Calgarians opted to power down Saturday night at 8:30 p.m. to join a growing worldwide movement, calling it "perplexing" in a city that has made significant environmental strides elsewhere.

"We are environmentally schizophrenic," he said. "It's unbelievably disappointing. Turning your lights off is the simplest thing you can do and for people to be so completely disengaged is discouraging."

Enmax spokeswoman Doris Kaufmann said Calgary showed a smidgen of improvement over last year's Earth Hour efforts by actually seeing power consumption drop from the normal average, albeit only by one per cent. Considering Earth Hour 2008 actually saw Calgary's power use spike higher than average, Kaufmann said even a drop is a big step.

"One could say they are getting the message to some degree," she said.

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## One of Canada's 30 hottest singles

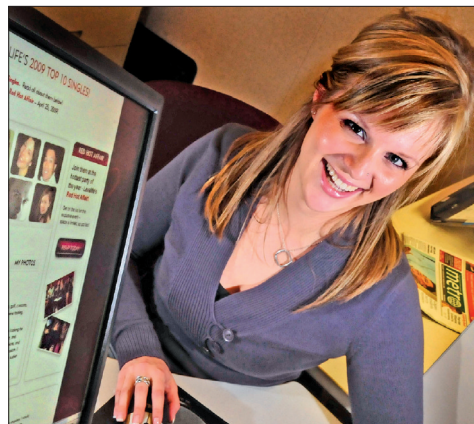
JENNIFER HILLIKER  
for Metro Calgary

**CONTEST** Not being in a relationship has certainly worked to 25-year-old Tanis Ferguson's advantage.

The Mount Royal College land administration student, chosen as one of the hottest 30 Lavalife singles in Canada, was later voted into the top 10 by her peers.

As part of her prize, she won a round trip flight to Toronto for a Lavalife party where she will walk the red carpet and a chance to win the top single prize of \$10,000.

"I'm pretty excited, a little bit surprised and completely flattered," said Ferguson, who solicited all of



Calgarian Tanis Ferguson could win the top prize of \$10,000 after being voted one of the top 10 hottest Lavalife singles.

her friends (and friends of friends) to vote for her on

Facebook.

Ferguson, who has been

on the Internet social site on-and-off for three years, has met about 60 people on Lavalife, many of whom have become good friends.

Ferguson said she was chosen to be in the top 30 singles based on the personality she portrayed in her portfolio, fashion sense, and someone who fits the Lavalife culture.

"I showed them who I was by putting pictures from girls' night outs, one from my birthday of me getting out a limo, and one of me having a glass of wine at a trendy spot in Calgary."

If she wins, Ferguson said she will give to a local charity, go on a shopping spree and throw a party for her friends who voted in the contest.

## Locals get to scratch their itch at golf show

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**SPRING** It may not be golf weather outside but it was all clubs and balls inside the Calgary Round-up Centre for the PGA of Alberta golf show this weekend.

Despite the snowy

weather, avid golfers and their keen kids brushed off the cars and headed down to the everything-about-golf show, PGA of Alberta spokesperson Matt McWhirter said.

"It's still been busy, especially (Saturday) but we're hoping it gets a little bit busier," he said yesterday,

adding the golf season is actually still about a month away. "It's the perfect time to have the show with people starting to get the golf itch."

Besides golfers hoping to tee off soon, there were a lot of kids and juniors at the show, including seven-year-old future golf pro

Curtis Hodgins, who was practising his swing at the Callaway driving range inside.

"I think he has a better swing than I do," his dad, Daryn, joked. "He loves coming to these shows the past few years."

About 4,000 people were expected to attend.

### News in brief

**POLITICS** An ongoing feud between local MP Rob Anders and corporate lawyer Donna Kennedy-Glans turned up a notch this weekend. On Saturday, Kennedy-Glans and her supporters voted to bring in a new board of directors. The board of directors oversees nominations, which has been a contentious issue in the riding. Kennedy-Glans told Metro last week she feels the riding is ready for a new leader, but Anders has said the issue has become more about Liberals versus Conservatives.

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What's online today.

**Blogs** It's Called Football Weekly welcomes SI.com's Ives Galarcep to chat about the MLS and Kenya Hunt shows off one-of-a-kind rings  
**Video** Market watchers optimistic about gains in April at [metronews.ca/canada](http://metronews.ca/canada)

### Lotteries

Friday, March 27 - Lotto Super 7: 8, 10, 14, 18, 28, 30 & 36. Bonus 25. Saturday, March 28 - Lotto 6/49: 6, 10, 33, 39, 40 & 48. Bonus 43. These results are not official.



**Manitobans brace for flood**

Flood-fighting preparations continued in earnest in southern Manitoba yesterday as freezing weather proved a mixed blessing. Temperatures below the freezing mark gave officials time to continue sandbagging efforts in communities north of Winnipeg. **CBC NEWS ONLINE**

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# Canada/World

## Community lauds new gay rights proposal

**EDMONTON** A proposal to include sexual orientation in Alberta's human rights legislation is being applauded by Edmonton's gay and lesbian community, but they say it's long overdue.

Alberta Culture Minister Lindsay Blackett has introduced some changes to modernize the legislation this spring. And while people within Alberta's gay and lesbian community are already protected as a result of a 1998 Supreme Court decision, Blackett says his amendments would bring Alberta's human rights laws in line with other provinces and the court decision.

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## Harper touts bank system

**POLITICS** Canada is emerging from the global credit meltdown with "probably the only truly free-market financial system in the world," Prime Minister Stephen Harper said yesterday in advance of the G20 summit in London. In remarks in a series of interviews yesterday aimed at audiences in Canada and the United States, Harper boasted about the strength of Canada's banking system.

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## Spy network discovered

**Canadian researchers have uncovered a vast electronic spying operation that infiltrated computers and stole documents from government and private offices around the world, including those of the Dalai Lama, the New York Times reported Saturday.**

In a report provided to the newspaper, a team from the Munk Centre for International Studies in Toronto said at least 1,295 computers in 103 countries had been breached in less than two years by the spy system, which it dubbed GhostNet.

Embassies, foreign ministries, government offices and the Dalai Lama's Tibetan exile centres in India, Brussels, London and New York were among

those infiltrated, said the researchers, who have detected computer espionage in the past.

They found no evidence U.S. government offices were breached.

The researchers concluded that computers based almost exclusively in China were responsible for the intrusions, though they stopped short of saying the Chinese government was involved in the system, which they described as still active.

"We're a bit more careful about it, knowing the nuance of what happens in the subterranean realms," said Ronald Deibert, a member of the Munk research group, based at the University of Toronto.

REUTERS

## Federal judge to rule on overturn of U.K. MP's ban

**COURTS** A federal court judge says he won't rule until today on whether to overturn a government decision to bar British MP George Galloway from speaking in Canada this week.

Canadian lawyers for Galloway told Justice Luc Martineau that if a decision in the anti-war MP's favour is delivered by 2 p.m. EDT, Galloway could still make his 7 p.m. Toron-

to engagement. Galloway was to speak about the war in Afghanistan and the Middle East conflict this week, but officials with the Canada Border Services Agency notified him he was flagged as a terrorist sympathizer and slammed the door.

Immigration Minister Jason Kenney said he won't bow to pressure to let him into the country.

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## 8 shot dead in rampage on N.C. nursing home

**A gunman opened fire inside a nursing home in a small North Carolina town yesterday, killing eight people, including elderly patients in wheelchairs, local authorities said.**

A 45-year-old local man was arrested and faces eight counts of first-degree murder after the shooting

at the retirement care home in Carthage.

Those killed at the Pinelake Health and Rehab Center in Carthage, which offers care for the elderly and Alzheimer's sufferers, included seven patients in their 70s, 80s, and 90s and one 39-year-old staff member, officials said.

Carthage police Chief Chris McKenzie told the news conference that the gunman shot 11 people in all. The wounded included a police officer and the arrested suspect, who was identified as Robert Stewart. Six victims died at the scene and two died of their injuries in hospital. **REUTERS**

## Russia Calls for resignation



Supporters of the Russian opposition party United Civil Front leave their signatures to call for the resignation of Prime Minister Vladimir Putin in Moscow yesterday.

## Collapse kills 19 after Ivory Coast soccer match

**ABIDJAN** At least 19 people were killed in a stadium crush during a World Cup qualifier between Ivory Coast and Malawi in Abidjan yesterday.

A rush by spectators led to the collapse of a wall, officials said. Police then fired tear gas, causing a stampede that left many seriously injured.

The tragedy followed similar incidents that have marred international matches in Africa in the last decade, including two separate ones in Zambia and the death of 13 people in Zimbabwe. **REUTERS**

## News in brief

**BOGOTA** A Colombian man accused of sexually abusing his daughter from a young age and fathering eight children with her was arrested Saturday. Arcebio Alvarez, 58,

was led away in handcuffs by agents from Colombia's attorney general's office after his daughter told police that he had abused her since she was a young girl.

**PAKISTAN** Attackers armed with guns and grenades killed at least eight policemen at a training centre in the Pakistani city of Lahore late yesterday, officials said. **REUTERS**

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## Comment

### Find joy in the little things

#### HineSight

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want to share an old saying. It dates right back to 15 minutes ago when I made it up. "To find good news, look in a mental institute." That just makes life so clear doesn't it?

As I've mentioned before, as part of training to become a United Church of Canada minister I'm spending eight months working at an inner city church and a mental health hospital. I call this program Thirty Two Weeks In Heaven and Hell. Which place is which changes around from day to day.

Every Wednesday, I work on a mental health ward

that houses those suffering from schizophrenia. Some clients are with us for a week, some for many years. Some have "privileges," which are extraordinary freedoms such as being allowed to leave the building, even cross the street and use the corner store. Others can only leave with an escort and, though the care staff do their best, this may mean not leaving much at all.

Doing spiritual care for these clients is challenging. I suggested to one woman that she try to "listen to her inner voice." Her response? "I'm



#### SunnySide

trying not to listen to them. That's why I'm here." Fair enough.

Not taking client behaviour personally is another challenge. Last week, I walked into the ward happily sporting a short new haircut. Louise rushed over gushing, "I love your hair! You look just like Prince Charles!"

It's hard to carry on a conversation because some clients find it difficult to keep words in logical order. I sat for an hour with Gordon who babbled to me earnestly and entirely incoherently as I smiled and nodded, all the while thinking, "Dear God,

let me not be agreeing that Paul Martin was a modern day Gandhi."

So, where's the good news here? Well, it's not "no matter how bad your own life seems, remember you're allowed to cross the street," though it's a good thing to remember for sure.

On our ward, Dylan paints a picture that's hung in the hallway and he grins for a day. Loni gets her hair washed and everyone tells her she's gorgeous. Carson says he's glad to see me and offers a smile, precious as the first spring flower.

Encouragement. Appreciation. That's good news anywhere. And the best part is, it's not a privilege allowed only to some. In any life, in any place, you can make it yourself.

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## Letters

### Negative cartoon undermines good the Pope is trying to do

RE: *Vision for Africa cartoon* (March 18)

I found the cartoon of Pope Benedict XVI in the March 18 paper disrespectful and offensive.

Canadian society prides itself on being tolerant and accepting, but there are still those who are too willing to believe the worst of the Pope. And their deliberate misunderstanding and negative comments seriously undermine the real good the Pope is trying to do.

MARIA OLAGUERA, SURREY, B.C.

### Banning British MP is an affront to free speech

How dare does Immigration Minister Jason Kenney presume to decide who can speak publicly in this country, and what I, as a free Canadian citizen, can listen to, read and

watch?

In Canada, we consider freedom of speech a fundamental right in our democracy. Banning British MP George Galloway from speaking at scheduled public meetings in Canada during his North American speaking tour is an affront to Canadian democracy and the intrinsic right of freedom of speech.

Canadians have the right to hear Galloway whether they agree with his positions on the Middle East or not. As a minister and MP, Kenney has claimed to be a proponent of freedom of speech. Apparently, he is afraid of what Galloway has to say. I call on the minister to allow Galloway to come to Canada and speak.

WALIED KHOGALI, TORONTO, ONT.

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## Views

### Chief Big Plume putting his people first

#### InTransit

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With only one hurdle left, the southwest leg of the fabled ring road sits loosely in the hands and hearts of 800 Tsuu T'ina.

The First Nation's band council signed off on a draft agreement recently, and a referendum set for June 30 will settle it once and for all; fittingly it goes to the Tsuu T'ina people.

Interesting that one of Calgary's most important transportation projects — of the past, present or future — hinges on the approval of generations of ancestral traders, elders and a culture that doesn't view

land as a means to economic propensity.

I'm thinking the four levels of government needed to make this happen and might actually get this right, and although Chief Sanford Big Plume is apologetic for the delay, he shouldn't be.

In the past, Calgary has been known to direct much needed infrastructure onto traditional First Nation lands to pad city coffers and appease voters, but Tsuu T'ina has been stout for 60 years ensuring the leverage of land wouldn't slip.

Big Plume is thinking of his people's future, a nuance that should be heralded in our more contemporary democratic forum.

Environmental concerns and the sanctity of traditional lands (Big Plume's mother was born on a portion of the proposed alignment, and the ring road

**"Big Plume is thinking of his people's future, a nuance that should be heralded in our more contemporary democratic forum."**

would skirt several burial sites) are of major concern to the Tsuu T'ina membership, and rightfully so.

Opportunity should not be overlooked however, and I think the band understands what the ring road could mean for the community.

"The road will mean more to Tsuu T'ina than just a cash infusion, it has to be built as part of a plan that allows us to develop businesses that will bring careers and hope for generations," said Big Plume.

But the timing is right, the deal must be sweet and it's hard to blame the band council for holding the four-kilometre-square parcel of land hostage for so many

years.

In true Aboriginal tact, First Nation business has always been done with proper democracy and with generations in mind — time runs differently on the reserve.

With the unique geography of the nation being so close to a major urban centre, the Tsuu T'ina should be looking at this as an empowering business deal and a means to needed cultural and social programs.

You might say the ring road will be a saviour if not a really good friend to the Tsuu T'ina.

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# Going Green

## A brighter future

A study last year by the International Energy Agency found that a worldwide shift to energy-efficient lighting systems would cut the world's electricity bill by nearly one-tenth. Amazingly, the emissions created by all the light bulbs on the planet are three times those caused by aviation.

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# Lingering query: Are we doomed?

## EarthTones

**Sophia Dore & Andrew Laursen**



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Any given day, a whole series of seemingly disconnected thoughts pass through our brains. Thoughts like, "I wonder where my car keys are," "I think I will wear the red cowboy hat," or "What's that smell?"

Sometimes the thoughts are more profound, but often not. Less often still, they can be strung together

into a kind of story. Fortunately for us, that only has to happen once a week.

Recently, stories of new dinosaur discoveries, news about Earth Hour, a review of our heating bill and a simple question posed by a student — "Are we just doomed?" — have all been bouncing around. Are they connected?

The question "Are we doomed?" depends a lot on your frame of reference. On a geological time scale, the short answer is "sure." We know species come and go in the fossil record. The dinosaurs were doomed and they didn't even burn coal or drive Hummers. Species come and species

go, but few of us are worrying that far ahead when we consider doom.

In a recent story carried on BBC, Prof. John Beddington in the U.K. warned of a "perfect storm" of food, energy and water shortages due to increases in global population. As the population grows, increased pressure will be placed on resources that are already grossly over-

stretched in some parts of the world. Even without a growth in population, pressure will grow as de-



veloping economies compete for energy resources.

If we have learned one thing from history, it's don't invade Russia in the winter. But if we learn any other lessons, they should include that the cause of nearly every war can be traced to competition for resources, and failure of governments to provide the basic resources necessary for life leads to political instability.

So, are we doomed? The situation described above is playing itself out in many parts of the world. Many conflicts in Africa and Asia have as a root cause competition for limited resources with access granted on a basis of race, religion, or some equally arbitrary basis for saying "you can't have it." The govern-

ments that can not or will not make access fair contribute to their own instability and chaos.

There is no reason to think we are going the way of the dinosaur in the near term. We're unlikely to die out as a species soon. But, if by doomed we mean doomed to live as most of the world lives, chances are good. As a species we are more likely to go out with a whimper than a bang.

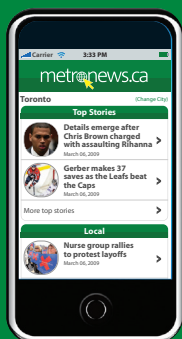
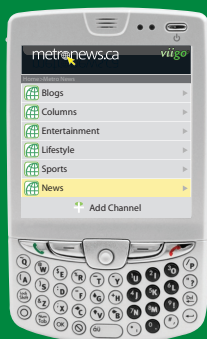
Like the dinosaurs, we have no control over the freak meteor. However, in the shorter term we actually do have it in our power to make better choices and live more sustainably.

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The gay watchdog group GLAAD honoured Suze Orman at its annual media awards on Saturday, and the openly gay financial guru exhorted her followers to "invest in companies that invest in you." Orman cited General Electric, Avon, QVC, Random House and CNBC as companies that had supported her. **REUTERS**

**Gay group issues award to financial guru**

# Business



## Video games sharpen eyes: Study

Adults who play a lot of action video games may be improving their eyesight, U.S. researchers said yesterday. They said people who used a video-game training program saw significant improvements in their ability to notice subtle differences in shades of grey, a finding that may help people who have trouble with night driving. **REUTERS**

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### Business in brief

**CLIMATE** The United States promised closer co-operation with the rest of the world on a UN climate treaty yesterday but cautioned it had no magic

wand to fix global warming. President Barack Obama has promised to cut U.S. greenhouse gas emissions by about 16 to 17 per cent. **REUTERS**

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## Theme parks feel the pinch

Shortfalls in attendance, revenue spell trouble for investors

**First it was the housing market, then the banks. Now Santa Claus, Mickey Mouse and Shamu are getting whacked in the global slump.**

The result is that investors in amusement parks are on a roller coaster ride — with enough sharp drops to make even those with the strongest pocketbooks feel a bit queasy.

Disney's slashing jobs. Six Flags, which owns Montreal's La Ronde amusement park, is on the cusp of bankruptcy protection. The Finnish government last Tuesday an-

**"Longer, higher and faster is kind of kaput. The public got tired of it."**

Dennis Speigel, president  
International Theme Park Services Inc.

nounced it was selling its stake in Santapark to local investors because of declining revenues.

But regional parks could benefit from Disney's loss, according to industry consultant Dennis Speigel, president of the Cincinnati-based International Theme Park Services Inc.

Wonderland in Vaughan, Ont., relies on southern Ontario for the vast majori-

ty of its business, making it an affordable destination for families trying to avoid the added costs of airfare and accommodations that go with a trip to Disneyland.

But that doesn't mean 2009 is shaping up to be an easy ride for Wonderland's owners, Ohio-based Cedar Fair Entertainment Co.

"We expect there to be a shortfall of up to 4.5 per

cent" in terms of revenue and attendance for regional theme parks overall, Speigel said.

It doesn't help that the amusement park industry is at a mature phase, Speigel said.

In the 1980s, "we would put a roller-coaster in a park and we would see a five to nine per cent change in attendance," said Speigel. "Now they put in 'super coasters' for \$25 million and haven't bumped the attendance at all. Longer, higher and faster is kind of kaput. The public got tired of it."

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## Stock bulls may hit the pause button

**FORECAST** U.S. stocks are set to run into some turbulence this week as investors pause to gauge if profit expectations and economic prospects will justify the market's further advance from the 12-

year lows touched earlier this month.

Since hitting those significant lows the market has rallied strongly, lifting the benchmark S&P 500 more than 20

per cent amid burgeoning hopes that fallout from the economic slump may be subsiding.

Barring any shocks early in the week, the benchmark S&P 500 could close March with its biggest monthly gain in about two decades.

With an even more bullish footing at month's end, the market could be propelled to its best monthly advance in 22 years.

Besides a deluge of economic data, comments from companies in the

run-up to the start of the first-quarter earnings reporting season and any developments from Thursday's G20 Summit in London could set the

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Bucky Hellwig, analyst

tone.

"If we get some negative surprises, the whole question of when the economy is turning or if it is turning will be brought back," said Bucky Hellwig, senior vice-president at Morgan Asset Management.

**REUTERS**

## U.S. Publicity rounds



U.S. Secretary of the Treasury Timothy Geithner appears on Meet the Press at NBC studios in Washington yesterday. Geithner said that the U.S. government has about \$135 billion US left for bank bailouts and refused to say whether it will ask Congress for more this year.

## Auto-parts makers cheap but risky

**INVESTING** Beaten-down shares of Canadian auto-parts makers may offer outsized rewards for those with a long time horizon, but investors would be wise to wait to see what the future holds for the big U.S. automakers.

Analysts said balance sheets are key and noted firms have stockpiled cash in anticipation of an ex-

tended downturn. Major players in the Canadian industry include Magna International Inc., Martinrea International Inc. and Linamar Corp.

But the outlook is far from clear if key customers General Motors Corp. and Chrysler are forced to file for bankruptcy protection.

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Lou Saban, the longtime NFL and U.S. college coach whose career spanned five decades and dozens of jobs, died at 87 at his home in South Carolina yesterday. Saban had two stints as coach of the Buffalo Bills, from 1962 to '65 and '72 to '76. METRO NEWS SERVICES

# Sports



## Rochette leads Canuck medal haul

Joannie Rochette, left, of Ile-Dupas, Que., captured the silver medal Saturday in the women's singles event at the World Figure Skating Championships in Los Angeles. It is Canada's first medal in women's singles in 21 years. Patrick Chan of Toronto won the silver in men's singles, while Tessa Virtue and Scott Moir won bronze in ice dance in just their third competition this season.

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## Tiger back to winning ways

**GOLF** For the second straight year, Tiger Woods birdied the 72nd hole to win the Arnold Palmer Invitational. Woods entered yesterday's final round trailing third-round leader Sean O'Hair by five strokes. Woods, who matched his largest comeback on the PGA Tour, won this crown for the sixth time overall. Woods grabbed a piece of the lead with a birdie on 15, then was one stroke up when O'Hair bogeyed 16. Woods bogeyed 17 from a bunker, but drained a 16-foot birdie putt at the last for his 66th PGA Tour win.

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## Final Four set, with upsets

**Second-seeded Michigan State stunned number 1 Louisville 64-52 to win the Midwest Region and advance to the NCAA Final Four yesterday.**

Senior centre Goran Sutton, who grew up in Bosnia, scored 19 points and had 10 rebounds to lead Michigan State (30-6) to its fifth Final Four in 11 years.

Sutton admitted he was tentative in the first half. "I didn't look to shoot the ball," he told reporters.

"Those Louisville guards kept coming from everywhere. Coach (Tom Izzo) pulled me to the side and told me to shoot the ball or he was going to take me out.

"I had no choice but shoot the ball. I didn't realize how open I was. The shots were falling down."



Magic Johnson and Chris Allen of Michigan State celebrate after the Spartans beat Louisville yesterday.

Sutton hit seven of 15 shots, including three of five from beyond the arc.

Louisville coach Rick Pitino said Sutton "hitting those shots against our zone was very big."

Louisville (31-6) was the overall top seed in the 64-team NCAA Tournament.

The Final Four will be played in Detroit beginning on Saturday.

Connecticut advanced to the Final Four with a win on Saturday and will face Michigan State. Villanova will play North Carolina, which defeated Oklahoma yesterday.

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# Summer Camps

## Camping fun for the whole family

**SHELLEY WILLIAMSON**  
for Metro Calgary



**Summer doesn't have to equate to kids and parents parting ways, thanks to family camp options now available across the province.**

Doug Saul, executive director of Camp Chief Hector YMCA in Kananaskis, said the concept is still fairly novel to Alberta, but interest is growing.

"The big difference is you are there with your parents, and parents are there with their kids," explained Saul.

While many come from Alberta, Saul sees campers from as far away as Asia at the week-long camps, this year in late August. For many, being together and making friends as a family is what keeps campers coming back.

The cost is \$390 for adults, \$275 for kids aged 10 to 16, \$240 for children four to nine — so a family of four camps for around \$1,400. Financial assistance is also available.

This summer's Y family camps are full but spots remain in "family weekends" in K-country, May 8-10 and 29-31. Ideal for those who want to book their crew for next summer, the three days are \$150 for adults plus \$95 for kids four to 17, up to \$550.

Families bunk together in teepees or cabins, while activities from arts and crafts to canoeing, climbing and horseback riding are open to all family campers.

For those looking to "get

their feet wet" in the outdoors, Camp Valaqua in Water Valley, Alta., offers a mini-camp July 3-5. A mix of adult-child activities and kids-only fare led by camp staff is on the camp calendar, including swimming, canoeing and climbing.

It's designed to give future campers aged three to eight and their parents a preview and meet staff, says Jeff Schellenberg, Camp Valaqua manager. "Parents, as their kids get within the six, seven and

**"(Family mini-camp) is also a chance for families to reconnect."**

Jeff Schellenberg of Camp Valaqua

eight age range, get a good taste of what to expect (at residential camp), and it's also a chance for families to reconnect."

Schellenberg said some parents attended the 50-year-old Mennonite Church

run-camp as youngsters. "The camper-ship is diverse. We get a range of those (who are) brand new to camping, quite a few

with some experience, and others who have just found out about it."

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## Being camp leader

JENNIFER HILLIKER  
for Metro Calgary

Instead of getting homesick, 23-year-old Calgarian Eric Gibbs gets campsick.

The time he spends as a leader at summer camp is always the highlight of his year. "You're outside, most camps are on a beautiful lake, and it's a safe, open,

loving environment," Gibbs said.

Gibbs has gone to summer camp ever since he was young and now works as a camp leader at Camp Kasota and Camp Tamarack. He said that he has made some of his best friends at camp because everyone is open and accepting of each other.

"If someone is a big in-

trovert, they come to camp and open up," he said.

"When kids come to camp, everybody has a new start. I met my friend Alan at the first camp I ever attended. We went to camp together every summer and then we worked together. I was a groomsman at his wedding — and he met his wife at camp, too."

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# Fast track to fitness

## Many people turning to boot camps

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Come warm weather, education specialist Shari-Lynn Share will spend lunch at an hour-long fitness boot camp, instead of behind a computer.

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"Going to boot camp is a great break to the day. You're away from work and away from your computer and you get to meet new people," she says.

Sare is among a growing number of people turning to fitness boot camps as a motivational tool to get fit fast.

"Everyone is together, everyone is grunting through the same workout and Sally beside you is con-



The diverse and challenging workout at boot camps produce noticeable results in record time, encouraging even those who usually exercise irregularly to keep at it.

tinuing to go, so you want to continue to push on," explains Michelle Parks, a former co-worker of Sare who started as a fitness trainer with Survivor Boot Camp last year.

Parks says participants set a goal for themselves

and with the support of friends they strive to meet these goals or surpass them by the end of the six weeks.

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A varied workout is important when choosing the right boot camp, says Parks, as is a certified personal trainer, a benchmark to measure success, and a training schedule that accommodates both work and life.

Most people start going to the gym each January or at the start of the swimsuit season, says Parks, hoping for quick results. When they don't see these results right away, they give up and stop going.

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# Workology

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# A career in the right direction

## Seafarers have George Rae to thank for finding their way back home

### OddJobs

**Diane Peters**



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For as long as he can remember, George Rae went out on boats with his father.

His dad, originally from Scotland and a former member of the merchant navy, emigrated to Halifax for a job as a master mariner. He later got work as a compass adjuster and soon started his own company.

By the time Rae was 12, he wasn't just tagging along on rides for fun. By age 18, he was doing the work himself.

"I was always intrigued and I loved the boats. And going with my father was always special," says Rae who lost his dad this past January.

After Rae finished high school, he joined the merchant marines. For six years he worked on offshore cargo boats and made his way up from deck hand to chief mate.

But it was tough being away from home so much, as he had a young family. In 1987, his dad asked him to join the family business as a compass adjuster (one of his sisters, his oldest brother and his wife work for the company too).

Rae, now 47, takes calls from everyone from small pleasure boat owners to captains of offshore oil rigs. Most boats on the water are mandated to have a compass — even if they have a



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host of other fancy gizmos. "The magnetic compass is the only thing that works when the power goes out," Rae says.

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weather. To get a compass back on track, usually on an annual basis, Rae takes the boat out on the water. He either drives (his 22-year-old son sometimes comes along to help) or the crew on a larger boat steers.

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Thanks to his years on boats and his study of magnets, it's neither mysterious nor magical to Rae. Just a job he learned at his father's side.

Diane Peters once hawked magic pens at the Canadian National Exhibition. She's now a writer and part-time journalism instructor.

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## Tyler at a wedding, again

Liv Tyler is walking down the aisle again, as the maid of honour in writer/director Galt Niederhoffer's independent film *The Romantics* — about seven close friends who reunite to watch two of their pals get married. [FEMALEFIRST.CO.UK](http://FEMALEFIRST.CO.UK)

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# Entertainment

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## Nickelback wins big at the Junos

ROB MCMAHON  
for Metro Canada

Last night's Juno Awards at Vancouver's GM Place reflected a shift in the event's tone from past years: An effort to get a little more rugged and raw.

Along with the usual Canadian rockers, this year's nominees included several indie artists, from F\*ed Up's layered hardcore to the thrash-electro of Crystal Castles. Much of the show — from performers to jokes — reflected a focus on riskier material.

Backed by a stage of psych-delic plants, host Russell Peters started off with a Bollywood-themed song and dance. But halfway through the song, the dancers ripped off the sometime



New artist of the year winner Lights, left, poses with her trophy while Sarah McLachlan, above, performs at the Juno Awards last night.

### Canada's Music Awards JUNO Awards

two biggest prizes — group of the year and album of the year, as well as the Juno fan choice award.

"The press are gonna hate us tomorrow," joked Chad Kroeger. "We apologize for hogging up all the air time." Super-producer Bob Rock inducted '80s rockers Loverboy into the Canadian Music Hall of Fame, Sarah McLachlan received the Allan Waters humanitarian award, and perennial Juno winner Bryan Adams sang Walk On By.

K.D. Lang and Buffy Sainte-Marie awarded Alexisonfire's Dallas Green songwriter of the year for his

### Juno winners

- Album of the year: Nickelback, *Dark Horse*
- Artist of the year: Sam Roberts
- Juno fan choice award: Nickelback
- Songwriter of the year: Dallas Green, *City and Colour*
- New artist of the year: Lights
- Rap recording of the year: Kardinal Offishall, *Not 4 Sale*
- Group of the year: Nickelback

quieter work as *City and Colour*. Other standouts included back-to-back songs by Crystal Shawanda, Divine Brown and Serena Ryder, and a rocking version of Them Kids by rock album of the year winner Sam Roberts.

### Box office

- Monsters vs. Aliens:**  
\$58.2 million US
- The Haunting in Connecticut:** \$23 million
- Knowing:**  
\$14.7 million
- I Love You, Man:**  
\$12.6 million
- Duplicity:**  
\$7.6 million
- Race to Witch Mountain:**  
\$5.6 million
- 12 Rounds:**  
\$5.3 million
- Watchmen:**  
\$2.8 million
- Taken:**  
\$2.7 million
- The Last House on the Left:** \$2.6 million

REUTERS

### Kenya's Style

#### Kenya Hunt

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### critics' corner

#### CBC Winnipeg Comedy Festival

Traveling may have been what Jimmy Buffet was referring to when he wrote, "If we couldn't laugh, we would all go insane." In "Bon Voyage," Manoj Sood brings his "Little Mosque on the Prairie" character, Baber Siddiqui, to the stage to introduce a variety of comedians. They include Geri Hall, Jimmy Tingle and John Wing. 9:30 PM on CBRT



#### Chuck

A heartless agent (guest star Tricia Helfer) is sent to evaluate Sarah's performance as Chuck's handler after he reveals his feelings about her. Morgan, Lester and Jeff try to get invited to Awesome's bachelor party in the new episode "Chuck Versus the Broken Heart." 9 PM on CKAL KHQ

#### Medium

Allison becomes a human lie detector after she dreams about a game show and starts hearing a buzzer whenever anyone lies to her. One of Joe's (Jake Weber) former co-workers accuses him of stealing his designs. Miguel Sandoval, David Cubitt and Sofia Vassiliava co-star in the new episode "Truth Be Told." 11 PM on KHQ



Stella McCartney will be honoured with an award Monday for her environmental efforts by the U.K. National Resources Defense Council. The designer, who refuses to use fur or leather, will receive the reward from Leonardo DiCaprio, reports Catwalk Queen. **METRO NEWS SERVICES**

**Animal-free McCartney honoured**

## Celebrity Buzz

# Brit's team sues superfan

**LEGAL** Jordan Miller — the owner and webmaster of Britney Spears' most popular fan site, breathe-heavy.com — has spent the past five years supporting the singer, but he's about to be shut down by the pop star herself, us-magazine.com reports.

Although Miller asserts that the sole purpose of the site is "to support the icon of our generation, Britney Spears, and to continuously stick by her through the good and

bad," Spears' father Jamie has taken legal action over some of the content.

"I have been battling the conservatorship Britney is currently placed under for months now," Miller wrote in a message to fellow fans on the site's home-page Friday.



"When I did not conform to the requests and demands Britney's management and father, Jamie Spears, recently put upon Breathe-Heavy to stay quiet, they in turn became angry and malicious,

launching, what I feel is an unjust attack, against me and my website."

He received a legal notice from Jamie's lawyers pressuring him to dismantle the site by Friday afternoon, or face an injunction. Spears' legal team claims the site is "replete with willful, unauthorized" use of copyrighted lyrics to songs as well as video and audio recordings and photos of Spears. The website was still online yesterday.

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## Love sued for e-smack talk

**LEGAL** Looks like Courtney Love needs to watch what she types. Fashion designer Dawn Simorangkir is suing the singer for an unspecified amount, claiming Love used MySpace and Twitter to bad-mouth her after a dispute over an invoice, Page Six reports.

According to the suit, Love posted online that the designer "has a history of selling cocaine, has a history of assault and battery, has a record of prostitution, has committed grand theft ...

is a racist and homophobe ... (and) is a danger to society."

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# Madonna adopting again

**PEOPLE** Singer Madonna arrived in Malawi yesterday ahead of a court examination this week of her bid to adopt a second Malawian child, a girl called Mercy James, officials said.

An employee said Madonna had checked into an exclusive lodge, accompanied by her son David Banda, whom she adopted in 2006 from the same Mchinji Home of Hope orphanage where four-year-old Mercy lives.

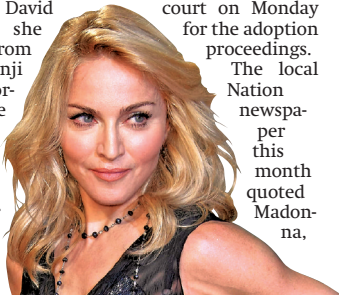
The employee said David's biological father Yohane Banda was at the lodge to

see his son.

Some Malawians oppose David and Mercy's adoptions, accusing the government of skirting laws that ban non-residents from adopting children.

Court clerks said Madonna or her associates were expected to appear in court on Monday for the adoption proceedings.

The local newspaper this month quoted Madonna,



50, as saying Malawian friends had told her David needed a brother or sister and that she would consider adopting another child, but only with the support of the Malawian people.

Madonna took David when he was 13-months-old after his father had placed him in an orphanage following the death of his wife.

The singer has said despite the controversy around David's adoption, she was happy to be involved in a case that might pave the way for more adoptions in Malawi, where an estimated one million children have been orphaned by AIDS.

**REUTERS**

# Robert's scary on-set accident

**PEOPLE** Robert Pattinson required medical help after an advertising sign knocked him over during shooting of New Moon in Vancouver, female-first.co.uk reports.

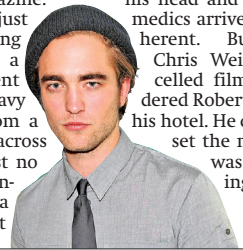
A source told National Enquirer magazine: "Robert had just started shooting a scene when a gust of violent wind tore a heavy metal sign from a post. It shot across location so fast no one even managed to shout a warning at

Robert. It hit him on the head and he dropped to the ground lying deadly still. Cast and crew ran to help.

"Robert finally came around. The crew put ice on the knot-sized lump on his head and by the time medics arrived he was coherent. But director

Chris Weitz still cancelled filming and ordered Robert to return to his hotel. He came back to set the next day, but was still sporting a lump."

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# Rihanna's rebound?

**RUMOUR** Rihanna is not spending her break from Chris Brown with Frankie Delgado, who tells People magazine they are "just friends."

Delgado, from MTV's The Hills and Bro-mance, says the chatter started because "she's been out, hanging out, I guess. It's Hollywood, people talk a lot."

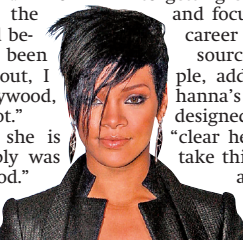
Asked how she is doing, his reply was only, "She's good."

The singer recently re-

turned to L.A. after a trip to New York City, where she had business meetings and spent time with her manager, her mentor Jay-Z, Beyoncé and Brandy.

"She is looking forward to getting back to work and focusing on her career again," a source told People, adding that Rihanna's trip was also designed to help her "clear her mind and take things one day at a time."

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# Leo paints Kids' Choice green

**PEOPLE** Nickelodeon's 22nd Annual Kids' Choice Awards was especially green this year, female-first.co.uk reports, as the children's cable network gave out its first-ever Big Green Help Award.

Cameron Diaz presented Leonardo DiCaprio because of his contribution

to environmental issues, including his Leonardo DiCaprio Foundation.

"Do you like this planet that we live on? Is this an awesome place to live or what?" DiCaprio told the audience. "Well, it's

the only place we've got ... We need all of you, the next generation, to take action. In fact, I bet someone watching this very show tonight will be a part of the solution to global warming."

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# Never met grandkid: Tori's mom

**PEOPLE** In a new interview for ABC's 20/20 that aired this weekend, Candy Spelling says she's never met nine-month-old Stella, Tori's daughter with husband Dean McDermott.

Spelling, widow of TV mogul

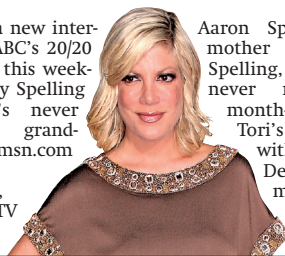
Aaron Spelling and mother of Tori Spelling, says she's never met nine-month-old Stella, Tori's daughter with husband Dean McDermott. The couple also

has a two-year-old son named Liam.

"I would love to be close to my grandchildren," Candy told 20/20 co-anchor Elizabeth Vargas.

"I'm the only grandparent that's living. So, I'm it. And — I've never even met Stella."

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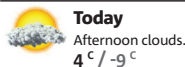
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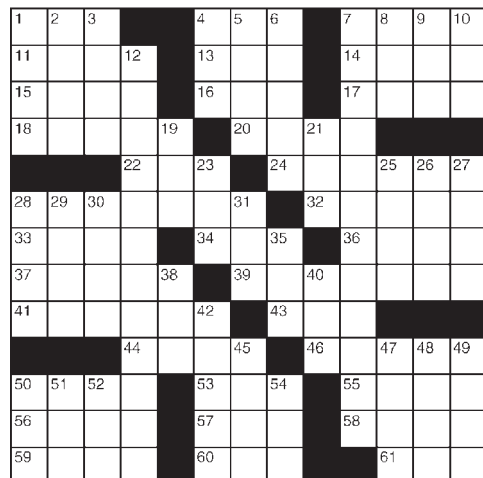




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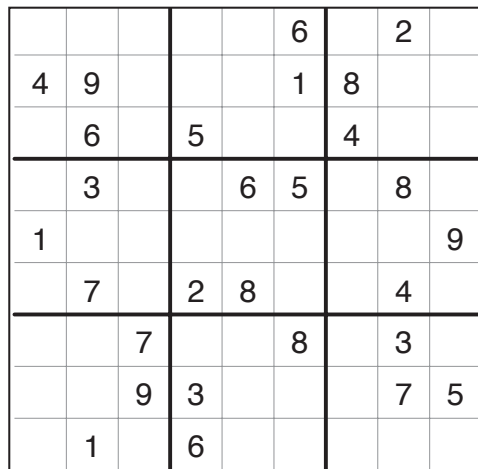
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**Sudoku**

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**HOW TO PLAY:** Digits 1 through 9 will appear once in each zone – one zone is an outlined 3x3 grid within the larger puzzle grid. There are nine zones in the puzzle. Do not enter a digit into a box if it already appears elsewhere in the same zone, row across or column down the entire puzzle.



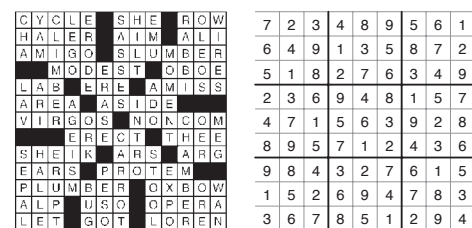
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- 11 Co-ed quarters
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- 16 Dress (in)
- 17 Otherwise
- 18 Tropical timber trees
- 20 Coated with gold
- 22 Dawn goddess
- 24 Acceptable
- 28 Splendour
- 32 Form
- 33 PC picture
- 34 Morning moisture
- 36 Facility
- 37 Disreputable
- 39 It may say "Home Sweet Home"
- 41 Motion detector, e.g.
- 43 Neither mate
- 44 Unstable particle
- 46 Brandy flavour
- 50 Pinnacle
- 53 Cranberry territory
- 55 Old portico
- 56 Angry
- 57 Greek mountain
- 58 Former frosh
- 59 Put in the mail
- 60 Profit
- 61 Chaps

**Crossword down**

- 1 Tend texts
- 2 Took the bus
- 3 Vicinity
- 4 Have breakfast
- 5 Online journal
- 6 Start
- 7 Tim Russert's longtime show
- 8 Right angle
- 9 More, to Manuel
- 10 Indivisible
- 12 Just stay within your budget
- 19 "Mayday!"
- 21 — Angeles
- 23 Norm (Abbr.)
- 25 False idol
- 26 Church section
- 27 Antelope's playmate
- 28 Fail to hit
- 29 Rue the run
- 30 Rivers or Collins
- 31 "Of course"
- 35 Ashen
- 38 Second person
- 40 Swab the deck
- 42 Batman's partner
- 45 Protuberance
- 47 Teensy bit
- 48 Get by somehow
- 49 Nobel chemist Otto
- 50 Venomous snake
- 51 Bill and —
- 52 Wife's address
- 54 "Roscoe"

**PREVIOUS DAY'S CROSSWORD AND SUDOKU ANSWERS:**



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<b>SUDOKU SOLVE TIME:</b>	17-21 min .....	Smart
Under 13 min .....	21-25 min .....	Not bad
13-17 min .....	25+ min .....	Keep practising

**Metro Recipe of the Day**



**Stir-Fried Beef with Mango**

**INGREDIENTS:**

- 1 lb (500 g) lean steak
- 3 garlic cloves, finely chopped
- 1 tsp (5 ml) sugar
- 1 tsp (10 ml) low-sodium soy sauce
- 1 1/2 tbsp (20 ml)
- DRESSING:**
- 2 tsp (10 ml) paprika
- 2 tsp (10 ml) mild chili powder
- 1 1/2 tbsp (20 ml) honey
- 1-in. (2.5-cm) piece fresh ginger, grated
- 1 cup (250 ml) water
- 4 tbsp (60 ml) vinegar
- Juice of 1 lime or lemon

**SALAD:**

- 1 mango, peeled and cut into strips
- 2 plums, sliced
- 1/4 medium red cabbage
- 2 cups (500 ml) watercress leaves
- 1/2 cucumber
- 1/2 red pepper
- 3 scallions, sliced on the diagonal
- 1/4 cup (50 ml) mixed fresh mint and cilantro
- 2 tbsp (25 ml) chopped roasted unsalted peanuts

**METHOD:**

- 1. For dressing, put paprika, chili powder, honey, ginger and vinegar in a

pot and slowly add water, stirring. Boil, the reduce heat to low and simmer 5 minutes. Remove from heat and stir in lime or lemon juice. Set aside.

2. Shred cabbage, cut cucumber into matchsticks and cut pepper into thin strips. Combine salad ingredients, except peanuts, in shallow serving dish and toss. Set aside.

3. Cut steak into thin strips for stir-frying. Put steak into bowl with garlic, sugar and soy sauce and mix to coat steak. Heat wok or frying pan on high heat, then add oil. Add beef and stir-fry until strips are browned and cooked to taste.

4. Spoon stir-fried beef over salad, drizzle dressing and sprinkle with peanuts. Serve immediately.

**SERVES 4**



**Horoscopes**

**AVATAR VENUS**

**ARIES**  
**MARCH 21-APRIL 20**  
You must avoid lonely people all day. A cave is not the best place to buy electronics. A job search needs to be more realistic.



**TAURUS**  
**APRIL 21-MAY 21**  
Let nature take its course with a former adversary. A peer is dealing with too much in a family situation. An unhappy person has a secret admirer.



**LIBRA**  
**SEPT 23-OCT 23**  
An increase in socializing will be a delight. It's an inconvenience to overlook a mediocre man. A friend gives you a hassle-free choice.



**SCORPIO**  
**OCT 24-NOV 22**  
It's easy to roll out the red carpet for a pal. Poor memory helps you withstand boredom. A chaotic moment arises due to a refusal.



**GEMINI**  
**MAY 22-JUNE 21**  
A condescending woman brings some news. You have a troubled conscience. A planner needs an aggressive strategy.



**CANCER**  
**JUNE 22-JULY 22**  
A conspirator concentrates on security. Freedom comes from being realistic. You'll be on the receiving end of a shocking fact.



**SAGITTARIUS**  
**NOV 23-DEC 21**  
An enthusiastic helper appears to withstand fears. Paranoid fantasies provoke snide remarks. Make a valued alliance with a thinker.



**CAPRICORN**  
**DEC 22-JAN 20**  
A powerless man gives up the chase. Invest in apparel and appliances. Women will demand more of your time.



**LEO**  
**JULY 23-AUG 23**  
A confused person is working too hard. A difficult situation eases up and a problem is resolved. Mark out your territory with a tough response.



**AQUARIUS**  
**JAN 21-FEB 18**  
You'll make a discovery when you focus. Give a fascinating speech at a get-together. Anything is possible if you look within.



**VIRGO**  
**AUG 24-SEPT 22**  
Communicate openly with a rescuer. Smile at a loser to boost their self-esteem. An innocent person wants to find wisdom.



**PISCES**  
**FEB 19-MARCH 20**  
A practical joker could give you the giggles. A thick-skinned person gets cross-examined. There'll be last-minute chores to perform.



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